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ADVERTISING RESULTS

If you want proof of whether The News produces results for those who advertise in it, ask them. We are perfectly willing to leave it to them. One possible reason for this is because The News circulates among the working people very largely, and they are the ones whose pay checks keep all the wheels of progress around here going around.

DEPORTATION OF JAPS IS ASKED

Rumor Says Lenine Has Been Assassinated—Steel Men To Vote On Return To Work—Bolsheviks Annihilated — Blackhand Bombs Kill N. Y. People—Hawaii Is Hungry.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Japan is violating the immigration barriers to this country intended to be raised by the so-called "Gentlemen's agreement," V. S. McClatchy of Sacramento, Cal., and Miller Freeman of Seattle, Wash., today told the House immigration committee. They urged adoption by the United States of a policy of absolute exclusion and the deportation of Asiatics already in this country. The committee is considering immigration legislation. McClatchy declared the situation on the Pacific Coast was only an example of what would happen elsewhere, finally resulting in the "United States being made a Japanese province."

"The question is purely an economic one, not a racial one," declared McClatchy.

Both witnesses asserted that the white race was hopelessly unable to contend against Japanese economic competition.

NICOLAI LENINE IS REPORTED DEAD

PARIS, Sept. 25.—A rumor was in circulation on the Bourse here today that Nicolai Lenine, the Russian Bolshevik premier, had been assassinated.

STEEL MEN VOTE ON GOING BACK

YOUNGSTOWN, O., Sept. 25.—Meetings tomorrow have been called by the skilled and semi skilled employees of practically all the large steel mills of the Mahoning Valley to vote on the question of returning to work.

FAMILY WIPED OUT BY BLACKHANDERS

BATAVIA, N. Y., Sept. 25.—Three persons were killed and four injured in a bomb explosion here early this morning.

The dead—Joseph Battagli, Mrs. Joseph Battagli and their two-year old son.

The injured—Mrs. Carlo Trimarchi, broken hip; Carlo Trimarchi, shock, two young sons of the couple, legs fractured.

The bomb exploded in the house, literally blowing it to pieces. One of the Trimarchi children was blown into the street. The bodies of the Battagli family were found amidst the debris in the cellar.

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GRAPEVINE TALKOLOGY

Most any of us can figure out how to save a million.

Moses was wise, though a race suicide remnant.

To the pessimist the world is bum and everybody bad.

Ah, um, by the way, how many trusts have been busted?

The big profiteers are crucifying Christ every day.

Many a dern fool has negotiated a diploma.

The Senate's chief aim seems to be to suspect, misconstrue, doubt and damn.

As between virtue and wickedness most of us steer a middle course.

Complaints of short skirts do not come from connoiseurs of hoisery and hams.

There are 365 sales days a year in forbidden fruit markets.

Love of humanity is the divine essence of the commandments.

CRISTIAN CHURCH CLASS GIVES PLAYLET TONIGHT

Under the direction of Mrs. Thomas A. Boyer, the teacher of the "F. M. T. M." class of Sunday school girls, the following miscellaneous program and playlet, "The Trouble at Satterlee's" will be presented at the church tonight:

1. Piano Solo—"Valse Chromatic," Miss Florence Clark.
2. Cornet Solo—Miss Sarah Vance, accompanied by Mrs. Joseph Vance.
3. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Joseph Vance.
4. Violin Solo—Edward Fanning, accompanied by Miss Ina Korn.
5. Vocal Solo—By Miss Nedine Honeywell, accompanied by Mrs. F. E. Honeywell.
6. "The Trouble at Satterlee's." Cast as follows:

Miss Satterlee, the principal of a girls' seminary, Miss Belle Woodford.

Kathleen, a Celtic maid, Andelle Mansfield.

Patrick, the coachman.

Seminary girls—Miss Beth Woodford, Miss Bernice Rouse, Miss Ethel Freeman, Miss Elsie Freeman, Miss Helen Follett.

Ghosts.

7. Vocal Duet, "Perfect Day," Miss Helen Clarn, Miss Florence Clark.

DIES FROM OPERATION

Mrs. Mary Oergel, aged 25 years, died at the Merritt Hospital in Oakland, Saturday at 2:30 p. m., following an operation on Thursday for appendicitis. She had been in Richmond less than two months, coming here from Powers, Oregon, to live with her friend, Mrs. F. D. Medlock, of 577 Fifth street.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Charles Nelson, the mother of the dead woman, arrived from Powers, Oregon, and returned immediately with the remains, to her home, where the funeral will be held.

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2 FACTORIES COMING TO RICHMOND

Arrangements All Made and Details Are Just About Settled—One Will Employ 200 Men and the Other 50 to 75 Men—Are Large Concerns and Will Invest Very Heavily.

The News is very much pleased to be able to announce to its readers, and, as usual, to give the news first, that two large factory plants are coming to Richmond to build, equip and operate right away. Arrangements have all been made to this effect and the owners of the plants are now arranging all details, such as power, oil supplies, hiring of labor, equipment, etc.

The managers of these two industrial concerns have been in Richmond several times lately, and yesterday gave orders to local concerns which proves the early opening of their industries here.

One of the new factories si to employ two hundred men, while the other will commence its operations with fifty men. Many of those to be employed by both these companies will be skilled mechanics, and also much common labor. It is thought that active opertion aon at least one of the plants, the larger one, can be commenced by the first of November.

For reasons of their own the management of these factories do not wish details made public by the press for a short time, and as those reasons are very good from a business standpoint the News will withhold further news and comment. Deals for more land, adjoining that already purchased, are on foot and it is for this reason, mainly, that location and nature of the two new enterprises are not published at this time.

Both have ample capital, with nothing to sell except their manufactured products. They will cause a big land value boom in their respective sections as soon as ground is broken for the erection of their buildings, which will be rushed through to speedy completion.

Y. M. C. A. ACTIVITIES ALREADY WELL BEGUN

Secretary Walter Meade, of the Richmond Y. M. C. A., outlined the work of the organization and discussed plans for future programs with 200 high school students yesterday in the assembly room of the high school. His talk was received with enthusiasm.

Meade explained that considerable attention would be given to the girls' branch of the organization and assured them that everything possible would be done for them in arranging entertainments and recreation.

He declared that three essentials—a strong arm, clean mind and brave heart—were necessary for the ult success of all high school students.

A clear mind, he said, was necessary to permit proper concentration, giving the pupil the staying qualities to conscientiously study his lessons so that some real benefit can be obtained from their school life.

A brave heart, Meade declared was an important factor in aiding students to stand solidly by anything that they knew was right. He asserted that brave hearts enabled the boys "over there" to pay the supreme price for their country's liberty because they knew they were fighting for the right. Clean stories, fair playing and honesty are highly important, he emphasized.

PROMINENT PEOPLE WIRE JOHNSON TO STOP LEAGUE FIGHT

Several varieties of political faiths are represented by the thirty-eight prominent residents of the bay district who signed a telegram that urged Senator Hiram Johnson to withdraw his stand against the League of Nations and the ratification of the peace treaty. The decision to send the telegram was reached at a meeting in San Francisco yesterday afternoon of the League to Enforce Peace. The day before a similar meeting was held in Berkeley and a similar telegram sent Senator Johnson. The telegram sent yesterday says:

"We have heard the President's message on the Peace Treaty and the League of Nations. We have also considered carefully all the objections offered to reatification. The issue is the most important presented to the American people since the Civil War. It is far above all personality or partisanship. We are convinced that the treaty should be ratified without amendment or reservations.

"Peace and peace on the permanent basis of open arbitration, inquiry and discussion before resort to war is vital to the welfare of the American people and the welfare of the world. America must not be false to herself and refuse such a peace except for the most weighty reasons. The objections to ratification are not weighty and should not hold us back.

"We appeal to you to withdraw your opposition. We are confident that in this we speak for the overwhelming majority of the people of California and that your present position does not represent them truly."

The telegram was signed by the following thirty-eight prominent men of the bay cities: Charles C. Moore, R. B. Hale, F. M. Angellotti, Warren Olney Jr., Curtis D. Wilbur, Lucien Shaw, Max C. Sloss, Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Ray Lyman Wilbur, Maurice T. Dooling, William C. Van Fleet, Raphael Weill, R. F. Schlesinger, Max J. Kuhl, W. B. Bourn, Milton H. Esberg, Frank S. Brittain, Will C. Wood, Charles D. Blaney, Ralph P. Merritt, George A. Sturtevant, James Mullen Josiah Sibley, A. J. Pillsbury, Edwin O. Edgerton, Frederick S. Nelson, Charles Albert Adams, James K. Moffitt, George E. Bates, Frederick Whitton, A. P. Black, Thomas S. Williams, Frank C. MacDonald, Jacob Nieto, Rolla V. Watt, James Mills, Curtis H. Lindley, Warren Gregory.

MUNICIPAL CONCERT THIS EVENING

The Municipal Band will entertain the residents of Richmond this evening with a varied program of music and singing at the Nevin avenue band stand, between Ninth and Tenth. The program is as follows:

1. March, "State Militia Review"—Koppitz.
2. Overture, "Humors of Donnybrook"—Volti.
3. Waltz, "Italian Nights"—Tobani.
4. Vocal Selections, (a) "While Others Are Building Castles In The Air I'll Build a Cottage For Two," (b) "Just For Me And Mary"....Mr. Mintner
5. Selection, "Offenbachiana"—Meyelles.
7. Saxaphone Solo (a) "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles," (b) Song, "Till We Meet Again"—Miss Sophia Wilson.
8. Celebrated Minuet, Paderwiski.
9. March, 362 Infantry, Destabelle, Star Spangled Banner

BOLSHEVIK REGIMENTS ARE WIPED OUT

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Fierce fighting was in progress throughout the day yesterday in the region of Pskov, southwest of Petrograd, where the Esthonians annihilated two Bolshevik regiments.

Secretary Meade announced a meeting of the Hi-Y Club for this afternoon at 3 o'clock.

FOREST FIRES RAGE OVER STATE

Three Sections of Northern California Battling For Their Homes—Giant Redwoods of Big Basin Seem Doomed—Governor Asked For State Aid—Thousands of Acres Burned.

Three sections of northern California are battling against fires that threatened destruction to everything within their paths.

With the fire that yesterday threatened the town of Placerville, El Dorado County, slightly subdued, but still menacing, and with the forest fire that has been raging for more than two days, gaining headway in the Big Basin, threatening the California redwoods, another disastrous fire broke out in Guerneville, Sonoma County.

Appeals were sent to Governor Stephens at Sacramento by Senator Benson and Assemblyman Wright for more fire fighters for the Big Basin fire. At the capital it was stated almost every available man the state knows of is fighting fire somewhere in California.

In the southern part of the State, at Thousand Pines and in the canyons near Ontario, hundreds of citizens are straining every effort to save resorts and homes.

SAN JOSE, Sept. 25.—Unless more fire fighters are rushed into Big Basin at once the redwood forest is doomed by the fire that is raging throughout the basin and spreading at a rate that soon will defy an army of men, according to an appeal for help sent today by fire wardens fighting the blaze.

The appeal for help asks for all available men.

Two hundred fire fighters under M. B. Pratt, deputy state forester, are trying to stop the onrush of the flames. More than 3000 acres had been burned over and the property damage was estimated at $85,000.

ARMY FOOD ON SALE AT FIRE HOUSES

Of the food supply ordered from the Government on August 15, 12,000 cans of tomatoes have arrived and will be sold overthe counter at the various fire houses of the city today, the sale to begin at 8 o'clock sharp.

No person can buy more than one case, containing twenty-four cans, to be sold at ten cents per can. As there are only 500 cases in the shipment, it is probable that all will be sold before noon.

According to Fire Chief Lemoin, all members of the fire department who will be on the off-shift tomorrow morning have volunteered their services to make the sales.

This is the first consignment of goods ordered by the city. The rest will follow at an early date.

MISS CAMERON WILL SPEAK HERE TONIGHT

This evening at the Presbyterian church an Autumn Rally Social will be held.

Miss Donaldina Cameron, for twenty years working in Chinatown, San Francisco, will tell some thrilling stories of her rescue work. Chinese girls will be with her and sing.

Mr. Bellman will render a solo and other music will be given by the choir.

A short trip into the Yosemite will be taken, illustrated by choice colored slides.

All who desire a pleasant evening are invited to come and share in the good time. Social begins at 7:45.

THE HOME MERCHANT

When sickness or trouble comes to us, or hard luck, or lean times when work is scarce, and we need a bit of help to tide us over until things brighten up a bit, it is the home merchant we turn to for that aid and comfort—not the merchant in some other town. And nine times out of ten he responds, and extends us credit, and helps us over the rough places in the road, carrying us sometimes for months until we get on our feet again. How many thousands know this is true? The home merchant knows it is true, for his books show it. And so when things get well with us again we ought to remember those things, and show the home merchant that we appreciate his kindness and his never ending friendship. But how easy we forget.

REFINERY VS. THE BARREL HOUSE

On Friday evening, October 3rd, the Barrel House and Refinery teams of the Twilight League will lock horns in what ought to be the best ball game of the season. There is quite a bit of rivalry between the two aggregations and as the two star pitchers of the league are represented in these teams a fight to a finish should be the order of the day.

A. Schimpff will be on the mound for the Barrel House and F. Gordon will have his old southpaw working for the Refinery bunch.

Now listen! The most important part of this game is the fact that it is a benefit game for an unfortunate ballplayer, who, last week had the misfortune of having his leg broken while trying to make a putout on first. You who have attended these game know this play well because he has furnished you with much amusement at times and also at other times caused you to do much friendly "crabbing". This friendly "crabbing" goes to make up a ball game and Oscar Brooks has given you all a good time and amused you.

Now it is your turn to be of "use" to him. He is laid up with a badly broken leg and the ball players are going to give him an unsolicited benefit on next Friday evening, October 3d. The admission charge will be the slight sum of 25 cents and you are all welcome to come and witness the best game of the season, besides doing a kind act to a fellow man.

The band will be in attendance to furnish good music and make everybody cheerful.

SPANISH WAR VETERANS ENTERTAIN FAMILIES

Veterans of the Spanish War held an informal reception for their wives and families at their rooms in the City Hall last night. Music and games, with refreshments, were the order of the evening, and everyone had a good old-fashioned time.

At an early date the joint lodges of Spanish War Veterans and the Ladies' Auxiliary are planning a formal reception for all members.

A COMMUNITY MOVEMENT STARTED

Meeting of League Last Night Takes First Steps On Important Richmond Project—Good Speakers Enliven Occasion—Committee to Confer With City Council.

How the community idea that was begun in the fraternization of the army in Europe may be perpetuated in our city was the keynote of the mass meeting held at Pythian Castle last night under the auspices of the American Legion.

That fraternization of the community and the development of the physical man, the lessons brought back to us by our young men, may be carried out, the creation of a community center expressing all phases of civic life, with a building wherein everyone is welcome to participate in social activities and physical, educational and artistic expression, will be the object of the Legion.

Along the lines expressed above talks were made by Mayor J. N. Long, T. H. DeLap, Len K. Williams, Judge Jacobs and Dr. C. L. Abbott.

Chairman Al Browning appointed a committee to confer with the city council with regard to plans for financing this building and securing a suitable site, consisting of Dr. Abbott, T. H. DeLap, Larkin Yonce, Lambert Wierda and Len K. Williams.

The meeting was well attended, very enthusiastic and interesting. The speakers all made good talks and were applauded by an audience evidently in sympathy with the splendid plans of the American Legion.

Surprise Party Given Richmond Newlyweds

A party of twenty-six friends of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sampson surprised the newly-weds at their pretty home in Richmond Annex Wednesday night. On the part of the employees of the Southern Pacific station, where Mrs. Sampson was formerly employed, a beautiful silver percolator and presented the young couple by H. A. Stiver.

After the party had sung several merry songs outside, they rushed the house and made themselves at home for the evening, providing various kinds of entertainment.

R. W. Byrn donated the use of his truck to take the party to the house.

Jim Narbett, the architect, went up to Martinez yesterday to see whether he wanted to buy it or not, and concluded he did not.

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BE SENSIBLE IN EVERYTHING

Men who are sensible in everything else have always refused to be sensible in politics, and just why this is so is pretty hard to determine, unless it be by ascribing it to prejudice due to environment and early training. There is nothing on earth people cling to so tenaciously as their early political trainings, and it seems to be like pulling teeth for them to jar loose.

There can be no reasonable doubt but what most of the creed roads leading toward heaven will get a fellow there if he hangs to the trail, no matter much what its label is on the sign-post. It is also quite likely that most of the roads leading toward hell will wind around in that direction, all right, in due time, if well followed. It is no doubt equally true that there is just about as many rocks and ruts along any one of the many thousands of heavenly roads as there is on another, and that one roat to hell contains just about the same number of lumps and falls, mudholes, briars and brambles as the next one, and so the puzzle is just why the traveler should maintain that his particular road to either place is any better than some other road, when in point of fact it is not the road at all that should be of consideration, but its ultimate destination.

And so it is in politics. It is not the party that one should be wedded to, but the principles, and the minute any political party ceases to be run for the greatest good to the greatest number of people, just that minute any sensible man or woman should quit that party and vote with the one which appears to be doing the nearest right.

As education broadens the mind, however, both creeds and parties become less binding.

It is now conceded pretty generally that there are quite a lot of very good roads that lead upward and onward.

Why should any man or woman be a Republican, a Democrat, a Socialist or anything else along those lines, except to use the party as a means to gain an end, and that end be the greatest good to the greatest number? What difference does it make what the name of a party is, just so it answers the desired purpose?

If you need a dollar, and get it, why, if it is an honest dollar, should you care whether the name, Republican, Progressive, Democrat, Socialist, or any other old name is stamped on it? Take the dollar, and be thankful to the sources from which it came, and quit caviling about immaterial trifles. If you are satisfied in your own mind that a road is leading you on toward the heaven you want to arrive at, political or otherwise, travel it, and keep on traveling it as long as it leads in the right direction, and if it turns around and starts to leading you hellward, get off of it, and get off quick, no matter what the signpost reads or what anybody else has to say about it.

Be sensible, in politics, in business, and in everything else.

THINKOGRAPHS

We'd rather be a barefoot boy
With splinters in his heel
Than be a rich and sick old man
Too stiff to run or kneel.

One of the finest places to keep away from just now is Mexico.

One writer says it is very harmful to get rich too suddenly. Huh! We should worry.

A mule never bites unless he has rheumatism in his hind legs and can't kick.

Luck is sometimes a fierce article. When a fellow gets a real good poker hand everybody else passes instead of "staying."

Reforming yourself is an offspring of remorse. Reforming other people is the cardinal doctrine of the political grafter.

An exchange remarks that if you have not already made a food of yourself you soon will. Don't apply around here. We've already done gone done it, lots of times.

It is discouraging for we older fellows to meet some young chap of about 20 who knows so much more than we do, or to look back at the time when we were 20 and knew so much more than we do now.

When the weather is cold our good wives insist upon our wearing woolen underwear, but they, themselves, trapse around in low slippers and gauze stockings, and a lot of bare neck showing in front.

A Missourian has just passed away at the age of 106 years. He used tobacco and more or less whisky all his life, and if he hadn't he might have lived longer. Come to think of it, though, 106 is about long enough.

One hundred New York mayors have issued a proclamation calling upon fathers and sons to get into closer relationship with each other. Many of us can remember back to the time when this was frequently done, and the woodshed was the place where the reunions were held.

The report that prairie dog and gopher meat is an important ingredient of the ordinary bologna sausage will be received with mingled feelings by the public. However, if prairie dog and gopher meat will cause the consumer thereof to seek his hole with gopher-like celerity, it now becomes our bounden duty to suggest to several Senators that they go on to a regular diet of bologna, and the sooner the better.

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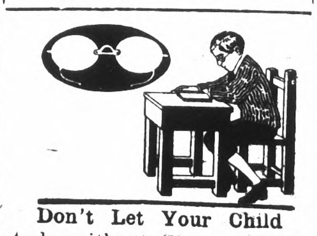

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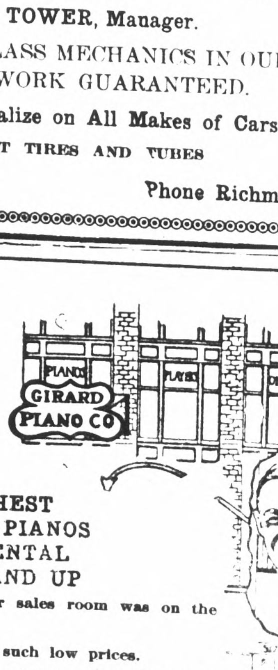

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REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Lot 10 and west half of Lot 11, Block 5, Terminal Tract, Richmond, Cal. For particulars address J. S. Mardon, 1101 High street, Oroville, California. 73-3w

FOR SALE—Three lots in Grand View Terrace at a bargain—improvements all in. Address Box 30, The News office. 58tf

FOR SALE, lease or exchange—a cheap 56-acre ranch, 20 acres in orchard, 30 acres farm land. Good potato or bean land. House, barn and garage. Plenty good artesian water, 5 miles from county seat on highway, Monterey county. If interested call at 153 3d street, or phone 538-W. 51tf

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$7500—Three-lot corner on 7th and Bissell, with two flats—five and six rooms each, very modern, with double garage. Must be sold in few days. Actual value $10,000.

$4000—20-room rooming house, 100 feet from Macdonald avenue; completely furnished—$1500 cash. Terms to suit on balance.

$1600—Good 5-room cottage on Virginia St., $1600. $300 down, balance like rent.

$3150—5-room modern house, 8th street, 2 and 1-2 blocks from Macdonald avenue; all furnished with piano, lot 25x125 with 7-foot drive way in rear and garage. Some terms.

$1000—2 fine lots on 6th street, all clear, street work done, fine residence property.

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253 Sixth Street

FOR RENT—3-room apartment, furnished, garage if wanted. The Richmond Company, 2234 Macdonald avenue. Phone Richmond 444.

Good six-room modern house, garage, lot 31x140, 24 ft. alley, $3,700; $700 cash, $35 per mo.

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FOR SALE (Miscellaneous)

FOR SALE—3 female Shepherd puppies. Enquire Shorty's Restaurant, 1612 Macdonald avenue. 73-3

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Big bunch hotel cooking utensils and coffee urn, about 50 beds, mattresses and springs, 3-foot size for $2.50 each; pillows, 50c up; comforts, $1.50 up; blankets, part wool, $2.00 up. These are snaps—buy quick. C. L. Streeter, home furnisher, 302 Macdonald avenue. 66tf

FOR SALE—New cement block house, very nifty, good location. Must be seen to be appreciated. Terms to suit buyer. Apply The Richmond Co., 2234 Macdonald Ave. Phone 444. 65-6

FOR SALE CHEAP—Good wagon and harness—153 3d street, Richmond. 51tf

FOR SALE—17 pigeons—8 of which are mated. Mrs. A. J. Koster, 715 17 St. 67-4

WANTED TO RENT—Two or three room apartment. Answer to P. O. Box 831. 73-6

FOR RENT—Five furnished rooms, 322 S 4th. 73-2

RESOLUTION OF INTENTION No. 365

A Resolution of the Council of the City of Richmond Declaring Its Intention to Change and Establish Certain Curb Grades on Wall Avenue In The City Of Richmond.

Be it Resolved by the Council of the City of Richmond, as Follows:

That it is the intention of the Council of the City of Richmond, under the authority granted by the Change of Grade Act of 1909, to change and establish certain curb grades on WALL AVENUE in the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, as follows, to-wit:

That curb grades be changed and established as follows:

On the northerly side of Wall Avenue, at the westerly side of Forty-third Street, from an elevation of 51.94 feet to an elevation of 52.5 feet.

On the northerly side of Wall Avenue, at the easterly side of Forty-third Street, from an elevation of 52.24 feet to an elevation of 52.7 feet.

On the southerly side of Wall Avenue, at the intersection of the easterly line of Forty-sixth Street extended in a direct line southerly, from an elevation of 51.69 feet to an elevation of 53.1 feet.

That curb grades be established as follows:

On the northerly side of Wall Avenue, at the easterly boundary line of the City of Richmond, at an elevation of 61.2 feet.

On the northerly side of Wall Avenue, at a point 300 feet easterly from the direct extension northerly of the easterly line of Fiftieth Street, at an elevation of 60.4 feet.

On the southerly side of Wall Avenue, at the easterly boundary line of the City of Richmond, at an elevation of 61.45 feet.

On the southerly side of Wall Avenue, at a point 300 feet easterly from the easterly line of Fiftieth Street, at an elevation of 60.4 feet.

The grades proposed to be changed in this resolution of intention are those established by Ordinance No. 306 of the City of Richmond, and as shown on map entitled "Grade Map No. 37" being a part of said Ordinance No. 306, to which reference is hereby made.

The curb grades between any grade point established herein, and the next nearest grade point on the same side of the same street, whether established hereunder or by any other ordinance or resolution now in effect, shall be a uniform grade between such points.

All elevations given herein are in feet above the City Base, as established in Ordinance No. 42 of the City of Richmond.

The map entitled "Grade Map No. 104" dated September 16, 1919, is hereby made a part of this resolution and all subject matter thereon is incorporated herein.

The Clerk of the City of Richmond shall cause this resolution of intention to be posted conspicuously for two days on or near the door of the Council Chambers of the City of Richmond, and to be published for two days in the Richmond News, a daily newspaper published and circulated in said City in the manner required by law, said newspaper being the official newspaper of the City of Richmond, and the paper in which the official notices of the City of Richmond are usually printed and published.

The Superintendent of Streets of the City of Richmond is hereby directed to cause to be conspicuously posted in the manner and form required by law, notices of the passage of this resolution of intention and to cause a notice similar in substance to be published for six days in the Richmond News, which said Richmond News, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which said notice shall be published.

This resolution of intention is adopted under the authority conferred upon this Council by that certain act of the legislature of the State of California, known as the "Change of Grade Act of 1909."

I hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed and adopted by the Council of the City of Richmond, at an adjourned meeting thereof held on the 24th day of September, 1919, by the following vote:
Ayes: Councilmen Lane, Gerlach, Scott Ogborn, Watson, Carey, Hartnett and Garrard.
Noes: None.
Absent: Councilman Long.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the corporate seal of the City of Richmond, this 25th day of September, 1919.

A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
(Seal)
Approved:
E. J. GARARD,
Mayor Pro Tem.
September 26-27.

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"Veiled Adventure" At The Richmond

One of the best opportunities yet afforded Constance Talmadge for the display of her talents is the role of Geraldine Barker in "The Veiled Adventure," a select comedy plus drama in which she is presented by Lewis J. Selznick and which appears on the bill at the Richmond theater today.

A beautiful thread of romance runs through the picture; and romance, it might be said, is Constance Talmadge's "long suit." Her many admirers can be assured of a rare treat when they view her work in this picture. She is full of her customary dash and pep and her vivacious personality is given free rein. Her work in this production is exceptionally good and is certain to increase her already enviable popularity among screen patrons.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD—Log Cabin Camp No. 637 meets every Monday in W. O. W. Hall, 407 Macdonald Avenue. Consul Commander, H. B. Hollenbaugh, residence 239 4th treet; Clerk, H. L. Springer, residence 101 Ohio St.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday night in Bank Hall, Eighth Street and Macdonald Avenue. J. B. Hunt, N. G.; J. W. Shell, Recording Secretary, 136 Second Street.

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ST. MARK'S WHIST CLUB

The following were the winners at the afternoon of whist played by the ladies of St. Mark's in the church parlors yesterday afternoon: Mrs. Malone, Mrs. Riordan, Mrs. C. L. Donnelly, Mrs. McDonough, Mrs. Favell, Mrs. K. Byrne.

EPISCOPALIANS BEGIN NATION-WIDE CAMPAIGN

Rev. Harvey Hanson of San Francisco will speak Sunday night at Lincoln Auditorium in the Nation-Wide Campaign movement of the Episcopal church, which is planned to awaken interest in church work and a response from every member of the denomination.

P. M. Eberhart is in charge of the local work, and the following committee has been chosed to assist him: Messrs. A. Powell, J. Fenix, J. Forsyth, C. Young, A. Howell, Andrew Robertson, O. T. Miller; Mesdames Royston, Rosier, H. C. Adair.

NOTICE

On and after October 1st, 1919, no hodcarrier will be allowed to work on Saturday afternoon, unless he receives double time.

By order of Bay District Council of Hodcarriers. 67-6

Ice cold root beet at Beyers. 72tf

TWO ORPHANS FIND GOOD HOMES HERE

Mrs. N. C. Anderson of 561 Fifth street has just returned from North Platte, Nebraska, where she went to bring home the two little children of her son and daughter-in-law. The parents of the children died recently of flu.

Mrs. Anderson will raise one of them, and her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Nelson of 644 Tenth street will take care of the other.

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Ladies Club Entertain The City Engineers

At the meeting of the South Side Improvement Club, held at the home of Mrs. Blake this week, the city engineer talked on the improvements required for the playground planned by the club for the corner of Fifth and Ohio, showing the ladies what would be necessary to prepare it for use and stating the sum needed to cover the work.

At the conclusion of his talk, he was made a guest of the club and participated in the whist game in which he distinguished himself for his gallantry by winning the booby prize, while Mrs. Cunningham carried off the first prize.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. Eklund, 12th and Florida street.

BARREL HOUSE DEFEATS CARPENTERS—2 TO 16

For the benefit of the local fans who did not witness the slaughter yesterday evening at the First street grounds we wish to state that you missed something. The game was all Barrel House. It came near being a case of 16 to 1, but on account of a bad throw to third base the score stood 16 to 2. Schimpff pitched great ball for the Barrel House and he fanned the last three men to face him in the game.

All the Popular Brands of Cigars and Tobaccos at Beyers at Lowest Prices. jy18tf

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Constance Talmadge In
"The Veiled Adventure"
Chester Outing and Flag Comedy
SATURDAY
Madge Kennedy In
"Through the Wrong Door"

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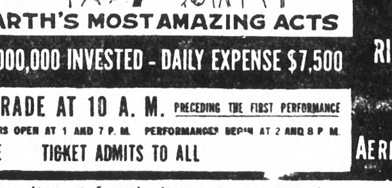

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Local Laconics of Richmondites

In the item about Julius Geritz and Miss Katherine Stone being made man and wife, the News got it all right in the body of the story but in the heading got it Frank instead of Julius. Now Frank and Julius are brothers, and while Frank would like to get married he has not committed matrimony as yet—but soon. And while Julius will give his brother anything else, he won't include this pretty young bride.

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Mrs. Catherine Krass has been visiting friends and relatives at Petaluma, where the chickens and eggs grow.

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Archie and Elwood Kimball have returned from their vacation spent at Argen, Cal.

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Mrs. Levi Schumacher, of the Starr Apartments, is entertaining cousinss from Illinois, whom she has not seen for seventeen years.

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Mrs. N. B. Down, of 443 Tenth street, is entertaining Mrs. Grace Harris of Monterey, a former resident of Richmond.

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Richmond High School football team is preparing to meet and vanquish Congswell High of San Francisco on the Twenty-third street grounds Saturday afternoon.

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B. R. Wright left for La Tonia, Kentucky, to visit his son. From there he is going to tour New York state.

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J. W. Frazier, engineer for the Santa Fe, living at 665 Fourth street, is making a three weeks' visit with his mother at Chatanooga, Tennessee.

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Mrs. T. H. Archibald and baby of 329 Pennsylvania avenue, has just returned from a visit of three weeks with her parents in Long Beach

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A meeting of the Junior Guild of the Episcopal church was held at the home of Mrs. Powell, 447 Eleventh street, last night.

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Trinity Juniors will meet at the church parlors this afternoon at 3:30.

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J. W. Fenton, of Oakland, was in Richmond yesterday considering the purchase of property here.

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Rev. J. C. Gillette removed his household goods from the parsonage to Palo Alto yesterday, and Rev. Case immediately moved into the church quarters at Nichol and Martina avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hartley and daughter, Betty, returned recently from a vacation spent at Tahoe and Santa Cruz.

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A delegation of Masons will go to Oakland Saturday night for a six o'clock dinner and conferring of degrees by Oakland Council No. 12.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCallum have sold their home at Fifth and Nevin avenue, and will build a cement house for themselves on the lot next to the old location.

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Mrs. R. E. Hatchett, of 643 Fifth street, who has been visiting relatives in Salt Lake, returned last night with her husband, who is employed by the Standard Oil company.

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Mrs. A. F. Spencer, of Oakland, has been spending a few days at the home of her mother, Mrs. R. E. Hatchet, preparing the house for her mother's return from a vacation.

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Y. M. C. A. offices were opened yesterday afternoon at Room 3 of the First National Bank building, where Secretary Mead will be found during business hours.

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Mrs. Nellie Smith and her daughter, Mis sAnnie, returned yesterday from a long stay at Santa Clara, where they went for the benefit of Miss Smith's health, which is much improved for the absence from the bay winds.

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Mrs. Koshinska Guilty Of Disturbing Peace

With Attorney Clare Horner for the prosecution and Pierce & Carlson for the defense, the case of Natilia Kospinska vs P. Olejnik was tried before Judge Roth in the night court last night. Mrs. Koshinska was found guilty of disturbing the peace and time for fixing sentence set for Saturday morning.

Children calling names, seconded by their elders and the usual mixup over a garden and chickens figured in the complaint, Mrs. Koshinska was accused by Olejnik, of unseemly language, and she convicted herself of the charge with her conversation in the court-room.

Both parties to the action are residents of Pullman.

Men's Club Formed By Christian Church

With the object in view of forming a community club with an open door to all men who may wish to meet there, the men of the First Christian church held a meeting Wednesday night and discussed the effecting of an organization, which will be taken up at another meeting to be held October 1st.

Aubrey Wilson, T. A. Boyer and J. E. Zumwalt were appointed a committee to draw up a constitution and by-laws for the club by E. J. Crandall, who was elected chairman pro tem. Harry Wilkerson acted as secretary.

Pythians Entertain Warriors Tonight

The usual lodge meeting of Richmond Lodge, No. 13, Knights of Pythias, will be suspended on Friday night this week and in its stead the Knights, assisted by the two Temples of Pythian Sisters, will give the glad hand to those members of the order who rendered service in the army and navy during the world war.

The musical and literary program will be given, beginning at eight o'clock, followed by refreshments and dancing. All Pythians are invited, whether members of Richmond Lodge or not. The Knights will bring their wives and the Pythian Sisters will bring their husbands.

U. S. Arrests Oakland Whiskeyites

Two hundred and fifty quarts of whisky are in the hands of federal authorities, and twelve Oakland men are awaiting hearings in the federal courts, as the result of a booze raid, in which deputy United States marshals co-operated with the Oakland police to arrest various saloonkeepers accused of serving liquor on "speak easy" methods.

Oakland Dope Fiends Nabbed

Extending its operations throughout all California and reaping thousands of dollars annually from narcotic addicts, an organization of traffickers has come to grief in Oakland. Its organization was completely disrupted following the arrest last night of Jack Walsh, proprietor of Todd and Red's Cafe, 21 Tenth street, on the charge of dealing in morphine and cocaine, according to Inspector Roy Jones of the state board of pharmacy.

Walsh is one of three principals now in custody of state and federal authorities, according to Inspector Jones. Thomas Alle and James Elliott were arrested in Sacramento last week by federal operatives when they are alleged to have "lifted" a $2000 plant of morphine and opium.

A PROUD FATHER

A baby boy was born Wednesday at the Craven hospital to the wife of George T. Griffin, 2019, Nevin avenue. Mrs. Griffin was formerly Miss Bodel Iversen. Mother and child are both doing nicely.

George is very proud and happy and the News extends the glad hand to all three.

PROBATE PETITION FILED

A petition for letters of administration in the estate of the late F. W. Long was filed in the Probate Court by J. N. Long, mayor of Richmond and son of the deceased. According to the petition the estate is valued at about $1200.

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OLIVE HOMESTEAD OUTLINES PROGRAM

Olive Homstead 1106, of the Yoemen, held an interesting session last night at Pythian Castle and balloted on quite a number of new candidates.

Plans were discussed for the month of October activities and a committee was appointed to have charge of the same, composed of Mrs. Lillie Carpenter, Mrs. Nettie Kohr, Mrs. Josie Neville, Mrs. Flora Thompson, Mrs. Marie Moore and Mrs. Mary Thomas.

They will hold a big open meeting on the evening of October 16, at which a social entertainment will be enjoyed, with an entertainment program of merit. October 9 will usher in Childrens' Night, with banquet and program, and installation of officers will take place October 3.

LEAGUE ADOPTION IS URGED BY MOTHERS

Resolutions urging the immediate adoption of the League of Nations by the United States have been passed by the eighth annual convention of the Second District, California Congress of Mothers and Parent-Teachers Associations, representative of 5000 mothers in Northern California.

The resolutions were unanimously adopted at the convention in Berkeley. The fight for adoption was led by Mrs. L. P. Boyce, 1005 Hyde street, then corresponding secretary and now first vice-president.

Copies of the resolution have been sent to President Wilson, Senator James Phelan and Senator Hiram W. Johnson, with the request that they do all in their power to see that the League of Nations becomes a reality.

BAY POINT WORKERS WILL PROBABLY STRIKE

That a strike at the Bay Point plant of the Pacific Coast Shipbuilding Company appears inevitable is evident from notices posted at the plant yesterday informing the men that the wage increase asked cannot and will not be paid. The company officials rely on telegraphic advices from Washington which they claim prevents them from paying the increase, as they state that the government refuses to sanction it.

The company has received word from the union that a strike will be called on the first of October unless the wage increase is granted. To this the company replies that it cannot grant the demands, and the matter appears at deadlock.

Murder Suspect Pleads In Court

Harry W. Elliott was arraigned on a formal charge of murder before Judge F. L. Glass yesterday at Martinez. Elliott was arrested several days ago in connection with the killing of Joseph Minetti, Pittsburg saloon keeper, who was found dead at the wheel of his automobile. He had been shot through the head.

Elliott was represented in court by his attorneys, Rodgers and Bray. He listened to the reading of the formal charge of murder with apparent unconcern. The case against him was continued until a later date when he will make his plea to the charge. Elliott will plead not guilty. Ever since his arrest he has maintained his innocence of the crime; denying that he had any part in it.

TWO GRASS FIRES TODAY

Two grass fires called out the department yesterday afternoon, one of them being at Thirteenth and Hermann and the other at Seventeenth and Bissell.

PROMINENT WOMAN OUT FOR LEAGUE

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 25.—Mrs. Florence Collins Porter, member of the Republican National Committee and the most prominent woman Republican in the West, if not in the United States, yesterday joined the Woman's League for the Peace Treaty. Mrs. Porter formerly was opposed to the League of Nations, but has renounced her stand and now is an ardent supporter of President Wilson's covenant plan and is urging its prompt ratification without reservation.

NEW WESLEY PASTOR TALENTED, ACTIVE MAN

Dr. Paul Little, Ph.D., the recently appointed pastor of the Wesley Methodist Church, is said to be one of the most talented of the younger preachers of the California Conference. Dr. Little has done some lecturing and the press reports indicate that he is a magnetic, eloquent and brilliant speaker. Last winter while Chaplain in the army he was offered a contract at $100 per week and all expenses by a Chautauqua circuit, but refused and preferred to stay with the boys at the camp until his final discharge.

He is a man of many letters, being graduate of four of the best universities of this country, having taken his preliminary collegiate courses in England and Ireland.

As a chaplain, he made an enviable record and for his unusual and afficient services his commanding general recommended him for promotion, although the law in regard to the chaplains is quite explicite in the fact that they are to retain the same rank for seven years. When the flu was at its worst and 12,000 were sick at a time at Camp Taylor, the authorities called for volunteer chaplains, for it may have meant death to them, and Mr. Little was one of the first to offer his services.

While pastor in Eastern Washington he was quite prominent in the political as well as religious life of the whole county.

During his four years pastorate in Hollister he has endeared himself to the whole community. His work among the young people is one of the outstanding features of the town and two years ago the business men fearing that the Bishop might give him another and larger field of labor, circulated a petition and over 500, including Catholics, Jews and Protestant alike signed the same.

He has a talented wife who is a graduate of the Northwestern University School of Music at Ecanston, Illinois.

Because of the insistence of his people at Hollister to have him preach for them Sunday, September 28th, he will not arrive in Richmond until Tuesday, September 30th, but Wesley church will have a supply on next Sunday.

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Your money's worth at Beyers. 61tf

TELEGRAPH

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Blackhanders are suspected. Trimarchi had recently received threatening letters.

STEVEDOR STRIKE STOPS FOOD SUPPLY

With riggers, stevedors and river steamboat workers on strike today and the paralysis of shipping tightening, word was received that Honolulu and the Hawaiian Islands face a food shortage. Steamers arriving at Honolulu from San Francisco and other Pacific mainland ports are taking about 10 per cent of their normal cargoes.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Contractors take notice that on and after January 1st, 1920, the wages of hod carriers will be $8.00 per 8 hours, and double time for all overtime.

By order of Bay District Council of Hodcarriers.
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A "Unanimous" Resolution

Unanimous indorsement of the resolution of the National Encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic against the proposed covenant of the League of Nations was made by Richmond Post No. 201, G. A. R. Commander C. H. McCausland and Adjutant Henry Galvin stated that the local resolution was adopted after a thorough discussion of the covenant by every member present and the vote to indorse the National Encampment action taken at Columbus, Ohio, on September 10th last was unanimous.—Richmond Independent.

The above news item from our evening contemporary is quite correct, but all of the news of the meeting was not given, for some reason. There were just four men present at the meeting and these four passed the resolution for the entire local body.

National Ice Cream at Beyers. 46tf
Fresh Fruit Drinks served at Beyers. 62-tf

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THE COMPANY — THE MEN — THE PUBLIC

Where the Money Has Gone

Statement No. 3

To the East Bay Public:

The Company has always given its car and train men a square deal. Most of these men have been with this Company for more than ten years—many of them over twenty years.

We believe that when they know the facts they will give the most serious consideration to the crisis confronting the three parties to this controversy—the public the employees and the Company.

The increases received by the Company as a result of the increased fares granted by the State Railroad Commission have undoubtedly led the men to believe that the Company is making a large amount of money.

Unfortunately, this condition does not exist. During the twelve months ending August 31, 1919, the Company's gross receipts amounted to $5,784,723.01. Its total outgo, including unavoidable betterments and without giving any consideration whatever to depreciation, was $6,024,320.18, leaving a deficit of $239,597.17.

The Company has, it is true, through the increased fares, enjoyed a substantial increase in its receipts, but the increase in operating expenses ALONE has overbalanced that increase of receipts.

That increase in our operating expense is largely in the item of wages paid to employes.

DURING THE FIRST EIGHT MONTHS OF 1919, the Company's "Gross Revenue" INCREASED $606,154.25 under the six-cent fare, as compared with the same period in 1918, when a five-cent fare was charged, but our ACTUAL OPERATING EXPENSES (including taxes) increased $685,042.58.

That is to say, during this eight months period the Company is actually $78,888.83 worse off, on August 31, 1919 than it was on the same date in 1918, for like period, notwithstanding the car riders paid and ADDITIONAL CENT street car fare.

That increase of $685,052.48 is found principally in pay rolls, which increased $446,103.58; electric power purchased, $28,794.09; fuel oil for ferry-boats, $36,641.94; miscellaneous materials and supplies, $137 878.25.

The present demand of the Carmen and Trainmen would amount to an aditional One Million, Six Hundred and Thirteen Thousand Dollars per year.

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